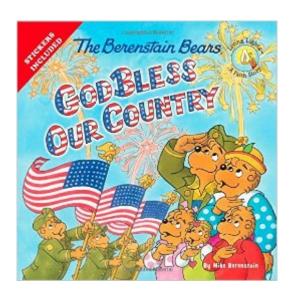
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# The Berenstain Bears God Bless Our Country (Berenstain Bears/Living Lights)





# Synopsis

The Bear family and their Bear Country neighbors celebrate the Fourth of July with a big parade. But not before the cubs get a lesson about the blessings of freedom for their country. Features 12 full-color stickers.

### **Book Information**

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Series: Berenstain Bears/Living Lights

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Age Range: 4 - 8 years

Grade Level: Preschool - 3

## **Customer Reviews**

I don't believe that you can ever go wrong with a Berenstain Bears story book and this one is no different. The kids and I really enjoyed one of the newest books that we reviewed, The Berenstain Bears in God Bless Our Country. The story is fun and lovable as all the other stories written by the Berenstain family. I would like to note that this book is plainly written from a Christian point of view and the story even speaks about that fact that Bear country was founded on Christian principles. A huge A+ from me on this aspect of the book. I noticed that the book is considered a Living Lightsâ,¢ book, which states that this Berenstain Bear book is to help children learn how God wants them to live every day....and I think it is wonderful! The pictures are bright and colorful which makes reading this to younger children so much fun. Their little eyes are drawn to the beautiful pictures and it makes it easier to keep them still long enough to read the words to them. As a mama to littles, I

appreciate that the pictures are still as engaging as they used to be. This book takes us through the Bear Country history as the Bear family gets ready to celebrate the Fourth of July. It is a well written story that shows how faith was involved in the creation of their country, a wonderful representative of how the United States was founded the same way. We see the family participate in numerous patriotic celebrations and how pride in ones country is fostered in the young bears. In the back of the book there are some questions to ask your children, to help with comprehension of the story. There is also a nice addition of two activities that your children can do. And the most fun, there is a set of 16 stickers for the kids to use in the middle of the book.

Title: The Berenstain Bears: God Bless Our CountryAuthor and Illustrator: Mike BerenstainPublisher: ZonderkidzISBN: 978-0-310-73485-7â œWe believe that it was Godâ ™s will that our new country came to be. And it gave folks from all over the world a place to go where they could to be truly free,â • Papa explains in Mike Berenstainâ ™s book, "The Berenstain Bears: God Bless Our Country."Part of the Berenstain Bears / Living Lights series, this unnumbered twenty-four page paperback targets children four to eight years old, especially those that like short stories about bears with Biblical references. With no profanity or scary scenes, the book contains simple sentence structures with a few multi-syllable words that may be more complicated for beginner readers. Following in his parentsâ ™ footsteps of their lovable, friendly bears, Mike Berenstain is author and illustrator with colorful, expressive artworks on every page with easy-to-decipher wording in black. Using the New International Version of the Bible, a verse taken from Matthew is on the title page after a page to fill in the book ownerâ ™s information. Sixteen r0und stickers are included in the middle of the book with depictions of the bears enjoying the July Fourth. The back inside jacket cover has three questions and two activities to discuss and do regarding the holiday. In this short tale during summertime in Bear Country, Brother, Sister, and Honey Bear are playing in the yard, anticipating the upcoming Fourth of July parade. The children decorate their bikes with streamers and ribbons while Mama sews flags, and Papa tries on his old army uniform that is too tight. During snack time, the parents tell the cubs the special day is Americaâ ™s birthday.

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